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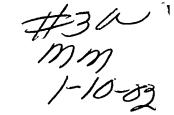
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Prior to the consideration of this application, please amend the application as follows

IN THE CLAIMS

Please add the following claims:

- An interactive system for auctioning insurance comprising a system server programmed to 37. generate screens remotely accessible from a computer through a computer network, the screens comprising:
 - a bid request submission screen including a first section through which a party a) seeking insurance may enter into the system server contract terms of a request for insurance and a second section through which the party seeking insurance may

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